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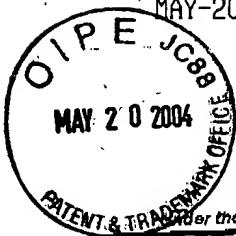
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1002	340	2002	170	Design filing fee	
1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee	
1004	770	2004	385	Release filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

		Extra Claims	Fee from Below	Fee Paid
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Independent Claims	4	-3**= 1	X 43	= 43
Multiple Dependent Claims				= 0

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1203	290	2203	145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
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1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920	1804	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840	1805	1,840	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	1005
1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or issue)	
1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	
1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
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1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
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1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection ((37 CFR 1.129(a)))	
1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be Examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
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